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ST. PAUL, FRIDAY, DEC. 19, 1879.

THE House has adjourned until after the lowed suit but for the fact that no quorum could be raked together. We trust that during the vacation the members will take questions that have already obtained prominence in both houses thus far.

"THEM niggers is all right," was the endorsement given by a disreputable North Carolina politician to the last batch of colored people who passed through Washington on their mission to redeem Indiana from Democracy. The guaranty was sufficient, and "them niggers" were furnished with transportation by the Republican colonization committee.

bank reserves so that no reserves on circulation will be required, while one-half of the reserve now required will be in gold or silhouses of Congress with little or no oppo-

Would it not be a good idea for those newspapers that are venting their wrath tention to those who made the laws so imperfect that a coach and four could be his associates simply obeyed the laws made for them by the Republicans, and if anybody is to blame for the wrong done it the Republican law makers.

A rew Republican papers have just disby the Democratic members of Congress in plan. It now appears that the government has paid out three millions of dollars, and the mouths of the Mississippi are in no better condition at the present time than they were before the work was undertaken.

SHERMAN'S "resumption" has struck St. abor lower than in 1860, while angar, flour coffee, tea, clothing, rents and other family expenses are nearly up to war rates. The men whose earnings and savings have paid the difference between \$350,000,000 of debt and currency at forty cents in gold and the same sum at par in gold feel that resumption is accomplished, and the business boom is booming. But to them its next door to star-

SEVERAL points have petitioned Congress to establish mints in their vicinity, and are wards and reported that he had been robbed ineffectual fires, however, before the superior attractions of St. Paul. Centrally tried and acquitted a few weeks after the oclocated for a vast territory, this city is the natural distributing point for the immense | The officers of the express company were mineral wealth of the Black Hills, both gold and silver, and is also convenient of access to the Lake Superior silver mines. The establishment of a mint here would save thousands of dollars annually for transportation of bullion alone. If a new mint is to be erected St. Paul is the best of all locations

MORGAN ON THE GREENBACK. Alabama, threw a boomshell into the demonetizors' camp by offering a resolution in the Senate declaring that a continuance of the Senate declaring that a continuance of the offense bars all future prosecution. In Engoxisting volume of United States treasury land this law is immutable, and courts will maintenance of their equivalency in value with coin is demanded by the present neceswith coin is demanded by the present neceswith coin is demanded by the present necesupon which this provision is founded is a sitics of trade, commerce, and industry, and wise one. While it sometimes results in the that full restoration of silver coinage to escape of wrong-doers, it has the effect of an equality with gold is necessary to secure to the people of the United States a sufficient and permanent supply of money of the States of the union, we believe, some to maintain the national prosperity. He then convictions for minor offenses have ocproceeded to speak in support of the resolution, affirming that the greenbacks were maintained at par by the confidence of the the ground that it is an unconstitutional people of the ability and willingness of the proceeding to place any person twice in government to redeem them in gold. He jeopardy for any offense. We have no further declared that if there ever was a doubt but the conviction already mentioned time when they should have been deprived would be declared illegal by the supreme of their legal tender quality it was when they court of Illinois if the transgressor had were below par. The present movement for money enough to get a hearing before that their demonetization was in the interest of tribunal. As he is poor, however, he will capitalists, and it was likely that attempts probably have to suffer the punishment prewould be made to coerce a great politisoribed unless the governor interferes in ical party into aiding the movement, under his behalf. the threat that otherwise capitalists would throw the great money centres and States of by the highest tribunal in the land. If it the Union into the camp of the party who shall come to be regarded as proper for a had always supported monopolies against the people.

case. It seems to us the height of folly for blameless his life, against prosecution from Congress, as soon as the greenback, by im- those whose enmity he may have gained mense sacrifice and loss to the people, has No sooner may he be acquitted than another attained to an equality with gold, to pro- arrest may be made, and he thus be subjected ceed to take from it that legal tender to annoyance, expense and social disgrace. quality, and once again degrade it to the The old custom, sustained as it is by conlevel from which it required so great an stitutions and laws, is the best one, and should effort to resone it. It would be a parallel case to a man who should expend a great legal fraternity. deal of labor and money in rearing a house, and as soon as it was completed proceed to An Appreciative Father and Republican. tear it down. Such a man would be taken in charge by his friends and placed in an Sr. Paul, Dec. 18, 1879.—I presume editors insane asylum with as little delay as pos-

This scheme of Bayard's is but the in ception of a conspiracy that will, if successful, lead to the entire withdrawal of the greenbacks from circulation, and the substi-tution of national bank notes in their stead. Its purpose is but illy concealed. All those who have for so long decried the greenback and praised the national bank system are loud in their advocacy of the measure. Nearly all the national bankers at the East have signed memorials to Congress asking its passage. None but those who desire to to have their stock reduced before the Holidaya drive out greenbacks and to build up and are over. Prices in accordance."

add power to the national bank monopolies are found to favor the Bayard demonetizing bill. If such a measure was ever desirable, the time for its execution has long since passed. When the greenbacks were at a large discount they could have been demonetized with far less injury to the country than now. Let not Congress tear down the superb financial structure that the people have reared at so great a cost.

### THE NORTHERN PACIFIC. A few days ago Senator Morgan offered a

esolution to take from the various railroad and telegraph lines of the country that have not complied with their charter, public lands which were donated by the government to aid in their construction. He presented with the resolution a list of the companies in default, included in which we notice the Northern Pacific Railroad company. In an interview on the subject the Senator said he could see no good reason why millions of acres of public lands should be kept from pre-emption by actual settlers by lines of railway who have no right to their control; and, as proposed in his resolution, would at once declare their charter rights forfeited for non-compliance, and open the lands for actual settlement.

Theoretically Senator Morgan is right. We believe that in nine cases out of ten a company which has accepted grants from the government and has failed to comply holidays, and the Senate would have fol- with the conditions prescribed in the grant, its lands should revert to the government promptly. But there are exceptions to th ule, and one of these is the Northern Papains to consult their constituents on the cific company. It was chartered long before the panie of 1873, and the grant of lands was accepted in good faith. The road was being built with great rapidity when the crash came, and Jay Cooke, its chief promoter, was engulfed in ruin. The work came to a stand-still, and during all the years of business depression that followed no progress was made. But the moment there were signs of renewed prosperity the work was taken in hand, and for the past year and a half tracklaying has progressed from both ends with a rapidity seldom equalled in the history of railroad construction. The mittee on banking and currency has so grant has expired, it is true, but the comamen led Mr. Backner's bill relating to pany is giving every evidence of its good faith by endeavoring to comply with its conditions as early as possible. A banker will not refuse to renew a note given ver coin. In this form the bill 19 unobjectionable, and will probably pass both of a desire and ability to pay it soon, and we see no reason why the government

governs the commercial world. Senator Morgan is evidently laboring under a misapprehension as to the effect of upon the governor and council of Maine for the land grant system as far as the Northern strictly enforcing the laws, to pay a little at- Pacific is concerned. He would find, by taking a trip over the line, that as fast as it is constructed a ceaseless tide of emigration driven through them? Gov. Garcelon and flows in to occupy and improve the land. Thousands upon thousands of acres of land have been put under cultivation all along the line, and innumerable thriving villages have sprung up, each teeming with life and enterprise. Hundreds of familles, anticipating the extension of the road, have gone covered that the Eads' jetty system is a in advance of the graders and settled upon gigantic feaud, conceived in sin and brought farms and constructed homes for themselves forth in iniquity. This was fully established where they expect to live and die. It is a grave mistake to anppose that the grant to the debate preceding the adoption of the this railroad in any way interferes with the settlement of the country. In fact it stimulates it as never was settlement stimulated before.

We repeat that it would be unfair to re voke the grant to this company. Its lapse has only been a technical one. The road is being constructed from the proceeds of the Paul, it is said. It is certainly manifest in other cities of the country. Wages are down to the gold basis -in some classes of labor lower than in 1860, while sugar, flour.

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## TWICE IN JEOPARDY.

A singular case, that has an importan bearing upon the rights of persons charged with crime, has just reached a termination in Illinois. A little over a year ago an express messenger named Chapman, living at La Salle, was entrusted with a package containing fourteen thousand dollars. He re turned to the express office shortly afterpresenting the attractions each can boast The officers of the company regarded his for such an institution. All must pale their story as too diaphanous, and had him arrested for the theft of the money. He was currence, and was therefore set at liberty. not satisfied with the result, however, and put detectives on his track who soon disovered sufficient evidence of his guilt. He was re-arrested, tried and convicted, and on Saturday last was sentenced to seven years' imprisonment in the penitentiary at Joliet

The constitution of the United States and of nearly all the several States provide that no person shall be subject for the same offense to be twice placed in jeopardy of life On Wednesday last Scuator Morgan, of or limb, and it has usually been held by the courts that a trial and acquittal or even a conviction and nominal punishment for any offense bars all future prosecution. In England this law is immutable, and goneta will lainlife scriticates. upon which this provision is founded is a putting a stop to thousands of malicious prosecutions of innocent persons. In a few decisions have been invariably reversed on

This principle ought to be decided finally man to be charged on second or third trial with offenses against the laws, there will be There is much of truth in this view of the no protection for any citizen, no matter how

need encouragement and praise from time to time as well as any other individual, which is time as well as any other individual, which is natural. The article in your Sunday issue, of Dec. 7, "The Dance," meets my views exactly, and was just like I had dictated it to you. That article only is worth the whole year's subscription for your paper. I am a Republican but nevertheless subscribe for the Gross, because I see that you fight sgainst a social swil, for which parents should be thankful and indebted to you. I have two daughters, and was unsettled in my mind in regard to dancing until I read the article, which settled that question all at once. Hoping you will continue to the read the article, which settled the ques-tion all at once. Hoping you will continue to atrike blows wherever and whenever necessary, I remain yours respectfully, F. K.

Esterley & Heinemann say, "They are bound

## THE BABY CENSUS

lences of Two Young Men Engaged At the best, taking the baby census is have been looking up and counting the

future prominent citizens of St. Paul. Both being young men, they are not, of course, well posted in the connubial market, and their adventures are recalled as very many even to the degree of an occasional "bounce," not of babies, but of themselves. In the course of their census strutting they have compiled see interest. themselves. In the course of their census strutting, they have compiled some interesting statistics: For instance, 1879 has been a bad year for babies, but a good one for dogs. Babies are born as hairless as a Mexican dog.

The child is father to the man, hence so

any drunkards, for all babies are addicted

without teeth; dogs are not. Babies are born without teeth; dogs are not.

The mention of dogs, so frequently, in connection with the darlings is no doings of the Grone, but belongs to the young men in their recital of their work. And the fact that the young men marketile shanded the that the young men partially abandoned the baby census, as they did, to take an account of dogs comes from an adventure which be-fel the brace of youths in search of babies. They knocked at a door. It was opened "Have you had any babies here during the

was the introduction offered by last year?" the brace,
"What," exclaimed the woman, her hand hold of the knob of the door, and stretching her neck out towards the young men stand-ing on the door steps, taking in big whiffs at 40 degrees below zero, "What," she ex-

"Have you any babies-?" "What, you young ras—. Here, Towser."
I show you how to—. Here, Towser."
And Towser came with a bound, precede

by an ominous growl. The young census takers didn't wait to see whether Towses

was licensed or not, as the deputy city clerk should have done, of course, but just incon-

tinently left. A married man, when his knock was an swered by the apparition which showed up at the door, would have adroitly turned the subject. He'd at once have perceived that the old girl was an old maid.

## PATENT RIGHT SWINDLES.

Verdict to be Returned this Morning Bearing Upon the Subject. The Murray-Leathers case, which has engage the United States circuit court for three days was given to the jury at 5 o'clock yesterday with instructions to return a sealed verdict The case, in summary, has been given daily in should depart from so good a custom that the GLOBE. It is one of unusual importance as it will, so the plaintiff's counsel conter put a stop to patent right swindles, which have become a common industry of late. As is known, the suit is brought by two young men of Yarmouth, Nova Scotis, against Leathers, a resident of Minneapolis. They contend that he induced them by false misrepresentations to invest \$3,750 in a patent artificial stone, or the process to manufacture it, which failed of its purpose in producing a durable stone, in fact the stone was found to be worthless. put a stop to patent right swindles, which has

less.
Yesterday the evidence was furnished, and the argument fof counsel followed. Mr. Rasbrun of Minneapolis, for Leathers, addressed the jury. His address consisted mostly in an attack upon Murray and Ryerson, the plaintiffs, and flung in a few touches, which Artemus Ward would say: "N. B., this is inny." He concluded with the vehement declaration that Leathers wasn't the man to delude any one, etc.

etc.
Mr. C. D. O'Brien followed
in an address, which was voted by the large
addience in attendance as the best effort he
had ever made in court. He reviewed the teshad ever made in court. He reviewed the tes-timony at length, and presented to the jury that the only conclusion which could be reach-ed was that Leathers knowingly perpetrated a fraud. He confessed that his stone had never been used up to the time he sold the plaintiffs "the process," yet had allowed and induced them to buy by assertions and representations expressed and implied that massive structures in San Francisco and Minneapolis had been entirely built of the stone.

burgiary or highway robbery was noble in comparison.

The court, in giving the charge, confined himself solely to the law involved. The question presented, was an intentional fraud done? This could be judged of by the circumstances attending the sale, submitted in evidence. If a fraud was perpetrated, the plaintiffs were entitled to all damages claimed, estimated from the amount paid for "the process," the likely benefit accruing if the process had proved as represented, and such expenditures as were incurred in attempting to manufacture the stone. tione.
At the conclusion of the charge the court adjourned, after which bets were liberally offered that Chris O'Brien had won his case, but no takers were found.

## THE QUARTERLY SETTLEMENTS.

The Vouchers Examined by the Committee of Ways and Means of the County The committee on ways and ounty board met at the county auditor's office vouchers for the May and October settlements, 1879. Following is the report of the May settlement, showing the number of voucher 

1,400 1,059 24 216 Yiew.....
Receipts of treasurer of Rose.....
Receipts of treasurer of New Can-

1.631 4 Total vouchers..... 

tember, October and No norted the same correct.

The Showing as Reported to the Cou sioner of Statistics for 1878. Capt. Jacobson, commissioner of static as completed his tabulation of the returns of APPLES.

GRAPES. Number of bearing vines..... STRAWBERRIES. Total preduction, quarts..... In connection with the foregoing the com-missioner has prepared a table showing the re-ported yields of three items for the years 1869

1872. 39,663 1873. 20,307 1874. 36,082 1874. 36,082 114,922 1875. 55,555 122,227 1876. 111,588 69,383 1877. 45,745 101,978 1878. 99,922 126,768 Now For a Rush.

ther large Invoice of Holiday Jewelry will be placed on exhibition at Brown's, 75 Great crowds continue to fill the store of the B. & S. Co., 87 East Third Street, all eager to secure their choice of the elegant Christman

You will find just what you want for Chris mas gifts at John Pfister's, The Jeweler, 101 Go to Brown's for your Diamonds and Jew-

## COMMENDABLE ENTERPRISE.

An Omnibus Line that Does Credit to the Commercial City of the Northwest. A peculiarality of St. Paul business men and one of the first to attract the attention young man, or a brace of them, the embar- of strangers, is the fact that everything they assment sometimes assumes gigantic pro- do is done well. The make-shift policy has ortions. Deputy City Clerk O'Connor, and few followers in St. Paul. An enterprise unfeated by an overwhelming majority. If young Tom Grace, for the last few days dertaken, it is established from the start in a there had been an honest expression of opin-

there had been an honest expression of opinion at the last election, the Republicans of the East in operation for years.

A striking illustration of this characteristic of the Et. Paul business man is furnished by J. B. Cook, Esq., proprietor of the Et. Paul omnibus line. Commencing many years ago, when Et. Paul was less than half its present size, with an outfit of first-class vehicles and stook, then apparently much in advance of the wants of the city, the enterprising proprietor has continued to add thereto until sow he has continued to add thereto until sow he has continued to add thereto until sow he has a continued to add thereto until sow he has a continued to add thereto until sow he has a continued to add thereto until sow he has a continued to add thereto until sow he has a continued to add thereto until sow he has a continued to add thereto until sow he has a continued to add thereto until sow he has a continued to add the sound the property of the East election, the Republicans would have been defeated by 10,000 majority, in my opinion.

Correspondent—Has Greenbackism died out in Maine?

Mr. Mnrch—No, sir. We gained nearly seven thousand on the popular vote this year. In my own county, where we have had a triangular fight opposed to a straight ticket, nominated by the arst-class vehicles and stock, then apparently
much in advance of the wants of the city, the
enterprising proprietor has continued to add
thereto until now he has one of the most complete omnibus establishments in the countryin buildings, vehicles, both wheel and ruuner,
horses, and general facilities for doing the
business.

horses, and general facilities for doing the business.

For the first time during the past three win ters the present fine fall of snow has enabled Mr. Cook to bring out his outfit of runners, embracing six, four and two-horse covered sleighs, all richly and warmly apholstered, and close hacks of the latest style of kody and finish, the whole comprising a winter outfit not excelled if equalled by any similar establishment in the Northwest.

The perfect system introduced by Mr. Cook into his business, and the close application of himself and his army of subordinates to its conduct, is shown by the fact that his line now runs in connection with some eighty railroad passenger trains—increased during the summer by the steamboat arrivals—and whether on time or not, omnibuses and carriages are always present on arrival, and during all the very of the establishment and ways present on arrival, and during all the years of its establishment a call for train or boat has never been missed, or a passenger inconvenienced or put to extra expense through lected for their gentlemanly bearing and in-tegrity of character, are found upon every incoming train, their general information of the city proving most valuable guide books to strangers visiting the city for the first time, and saving them much trouble and exponee.

In short, the St. Paul omnibus line is an institution of which St. Paul has reason to be proud, and it is a gratification that Mr. Cook's enterprise, integrity and reputation for fair and even liberal dealing jis securing him that return he so richly deserves.

### THE WABASHAW STREET SKWER. A Decision Against the City in the Asses

An important decision was rendered by Judge Simons on yesterday, denying the application of the city of St. Paul for judgment against certain property assessed for the construction of a sewer on Wabashaw street from Seventh street to College avenue. The decision first calls attention to the objections of the property owners who claim informality in the manner of letting the contract, and to the indefinite Demography, and wade Hampton were seventher in which the results of the contract, and to the indefinite Demography, and wade Hampton were seventher in which the contract, and to the indefinite manner in which the provisions of the same were interpreted, the method of letting the contract being characterized as not sanctioned by the city charter, instead of which the pro-ceedings were in direct contradiction thereof. ceedings were in direct contradiction thereor.

The court adverts to the specifications of the contract as submitted by the objectors at length, after which the decision says: The fundamental principle of the city charter is that public improvements of this character shall be constructed under contract let to the snan oe constructed under contract let to the "lowest reliable and responsible bidder or bidders." To this end it is essential that the city authorities ascertain and determine as near as they can what work is to be done and how it is to be done. how it is to be done before they invite proposals and enter into contracts for doing it. posais and enter into contracts for doing it.
After speaking of the necessity of maintaining
the charter as it provides that all work shall be
let to the lowest responsible bidder, the decision concludes as follows:

The construction of sewers is a practical matter, and I do not hold that no slight deviation
from the exact letter of the appoilections or

from the exact letter of the specifications of from the exact letter of the specifications or contract, when expedient, can be made without vitiating the assessment, nor do I decide that specifications and contracts for these and other public improvements may not to some exteat be left indefinite when the necessity therefor is made to appear by evidence. Yet, no attempt to show any such necessity has been made in this case, and in the absence of all evidence fupon the spoint I do not see how been made in this case, and in the absence of all evidence [upon the [point I do not see how this assessment can be sustained without do-ing violence to the manifest spirit and policy

ing violence to the manifest spirit and policy of the statute.

It is my opinion, for the reasons stated, that the assessment in question is void for want of jurisdiction in the board of public works to make it, and that judgment thereon against the property of the objectors must be denied, and it is so ordered.

## THE POULTRY SHOW.

ard of Prizes\_Childrens' Day\_The Ehibition to be Continued Over Monday

The Poultry Fanciers' exhibition still attracts the attention of those interested. At cent cold night. a meeting held yesterday afternoon, it was decided to keep the exhibition open Monday and Tuesday of next week. Yesterday afternoon the following premiums were awarded by Mr. B. N. Pierce, of Corning, Iowa, who is considered autho-

rity on all points concerning poultry:
Light Brahmas—Cock, 2d, Jones Bros.,
Hudson, Wis.; hen, 2d, C. W. Robertson, St. Paul; cockerel, 1st, A. A. Wallworth, St. Paul; 2d, S. Tyler, Minneapolis; 3d, A. A.

Wallworth, St. Paul.

Dark Brahmas—Cock, 1st, C. F. Freilich, Red Wing; 2d, Jones Bros; hen, 1st, Barker & Upton, Creiso, Iowa; cockerel, 1st and 2d, A. H. Brackett, Minneapolis; 3d, Jones Bros; pullet, 2d, Barker & Upton; 3d, Jones Bros.
Buff Cochins—Cock, 1st, A. H. Brackett; 3d, Jones Bros; cockerel, 2d, A. H. Brackett; pullet, 2d. A. H. Brackett.

1st on cock, hen, cockerel; 2d on pullet.
Silver spangled Hamburg—Jones Bros.
2d on cockerel; 1st on pullet.
White Leghorns—A. H. Brackett 1st on hen; 1st and 2d on cockerel and pullet; 2d and water on the burning roof in liberal

Brown Leghorn-Cockerel, 1st, L. M. Hyde, Minneapolis; 2d, Jones Bros.; 3d, S. McAninch, Minneapolis. Pullet, 1et and

2d, F. E. Dolphin, St. Paul; 3d, L. M. Hyde.
Black breasted red game, cock, 2d and 1st.
A. H. Brackett; cockerel, 1st and 2d, Jones
Bros.; 3d, A. H. Brackett; pullet, 1st, Jones Bros.; 2d, A. H. Brackett; 8d, Jones Bros.

Plymouth Rock, cock, 2d, S. McAninch; cockerel, 1st and 3d, S. Tyler; 2d, F. John-son; pullet, 1st and 2d, S. Tyler. Black breasted game, pullet, 1st, Jones Golden Polish, cock, 2nd, F. Thompson; 3rd W. Spencer, St. Paul; hen, 1st and 2nd: pullett, 2nd and 3rd; cockerel, 2nd and 3rd,

F. Thompson.
Silver Polish, F. Thompson 1st on cock nd on hen, 1st and 2nd on cockerel; 2st and 3rd on pullet. Silver duckwing game bantam, cock,1st S

Tyler; 2nd, A. Nichose, St. Paul; hen, 2nd S. Tyler; pullet, 2nd, S. Tyler. S. Tyler; pullet, 2nd, S. Tyler.

Breeding pens, Plymonth Rock, 1st, S. Tyler; black breasted red game, 2d, A. H. Brackett; black breasted red game bantams, 1st, Jones Bros.; brown leghorn, 1st, F. E. Dolphin; white leghorn, 2d, A. H. Brackett. C. G. Irvine, largest collection of pet games; premium \$5.

Jones Bros., best variety of pigeons; premium \$5.

premium \$5.

8. Tyler, best method of packing eggs remium \$1. Sewing Machines Sewing Machines. No. 90 East Third Street is the Great Centra Depot for Sewing Machines, and Dewey &

The low price at which Silks, Dress Goods an in fact, The Entire Strouse Bankrupt Stock, ever sold, at corner Third and Wabashaw

Buy Your Sleigh To-Day And be sure to go to Nippolt's, corner Sevent and Sibley streets. He has a few more left, an but a few, which must be sold at once. The if you have any painting or repairing to be Fur Lined Silk Circulars.

A few left at great bargains, at the St. Bankrupt Sale, corner Third and Waba

The superb assortment of fine Jewelry, Gold and Silverware, Diamonds, etc., for the Christmas holidays, at P. F. Egan & Co.'s, 77 East Third street (Greenlest's), is the admiration of

Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic is a sure cure for dyspepsis and all kindred diseases.

MURCH ON MAINE.

nback Congressman on the Future of Politics in the Pine Free State [Interview in Cincinnati Enquirer.] Correspondent-What do you think of the

chance for next year? Mr. Murch-The Republicans will be de-

Democrats, we have gained over one thousand votes. We have a clear majority over both parties, Republicans and Democrats. In the Fifth district the anti-Republican gain is large. Correspondent—Do you anticipate that the Republicans will carry one or more of

he Congressional districts next year?

Mr. Murch—I think we will carry three of dent-Which are those? Mr. Murch-The Third, Fourth Correspondent-Will there be an anti-Re ablican legislature next year?

Mr. Murch-Yes, sir.

Correspondent—Then you will elect United States Senator? Mr. Murch - We shall elect a United States enator next year, without any doubt in my Correspondent—Have you any idea what the Republicans intend to do?

Mr. Murch-Only what I have learned of

their intentions from my friends in Maine. I have received a letter from one of our most prominent men, who I think has a very correct idea of what the Republicans intend to do. He says: "If Blaine can bulldoze the supreme court into giving certificates to those Representatives and Sena-tors from whom certificates will be with-holden, then the South Carolina game will be played. The Republicans will not with us, but will take those men who have supreme court certificates, put them at the head of their delegations and demand admittance to their seats. If it is refused they will call another legislature of their own and call on Hayes. Well, let them. We will elect Smith and call on Congress. The result, then must be a square backdown on the one side or the other. The Republicans alprocess in their power. The game was successfully played in South Carolina by the Democrats, and Wade Hampton was recog nized by Hayes. That contained a sort of a precedent. The mandamus suit is only for effect—to get up sympathy, and to give the idea to Hayes and the Republican mem-bers of Congress that the laws are being overridden by us, so that if the supreme court can be prevailed upon to issue certifi-cates, Hayes, in recognizing Davis, can say that in the opinion of the supreme judiciary of the State Davis was elected. Again, it is done for capital. They know that if Hayes should recognize Davis we should call upon Congress. They do not mean to fight, but would back down, and then go before the people next year with the story that the Democratic Congress upheld the usurpation of the laws, and that unless there was a solid North the murderous rebels would steal the

country, and the rest of the story. Blaine is using this muddle for himself. I find everybody is talking of Louisiana; but Wade Hampton's game is the shrewdest, and in my opinion they mean to try it on."

This letter was received by Mr. Murch a day or two ago, and was written by one of the best posted men in the State. MINNESOTA NEWS

An organized band of horse thieves are pperating in Wright county Mr. Halstead, of Janesville, lost a daugh-Ortonville now enjoys a daily mail, i being carried through on the cars. In Sterling, Blue Earth county, there have been ten deaths from diphtheria in the last

two months. A number of deaths from ty A malicious false alarm of fire in

bault called out the fire department on a re Both of the flouring mills at New Ula have stopped for the alleged reason of the high price of wheat. D. G. Crory has qualified as superint of schools in Brown county. His postoffic

address is Sleepy Eye. One day last week, a lady reported that by actual count there were sixty cases of diphtheria in Mankato. One fire insurance agent has paid forty-

two losses in Waseca county during the past three years, and he is only one of many A jewelry store in Rush City was robbed the other night of watches and jewelry to the amount of \$500. The thieves have net

been discovered. A \$1,000 money package lately sent from the bank in New Uln to Brookings, D. T., was stolen from the express office in Sleepy Eye. Detectives are looking after the cash.

quantities. J. B. Spencer, of Faribault, sold the other day eighty-seven hogs aggregating 26,000 pounds, live weight, for which he received \$4 per hundred weight. They were mostly of the Berkshire breed.

The postmaster of Blooming Grove, Waseca county, has been deprived of the office in consequence of his carrying the mail, as sub-contractor, contrary to the rules of the department.

Too much whisky was the cause of a bloody mill, in Marshall, Lyon county, the other night, in which several parties were engaged. Blackened eyes, bloody noses, and pattered faces in plenty, but no deaths. "The Northfield Journal" was the name of a paper published in Northfield more than

twenty-one years ago, at which time the State was in its infancy, and the Democrats in power, Henry H. Sibley being Governor. The Lincoln County Tribune says that two big grey wolves, the other day, came up to the depot just as the train came in, and pas-

A few days ago a young man by the name of McFarland, in Glasgow, Wabsshaw county, was operated upon by Dis. Linceln and Van Dyke for intertwisted or knotted intestines. The delicate had hazardous operation of cutting open the bowels, taking Depet for Sewing Machines, and Dewey & Wilhelmi are the representatives of the following popular Machines: The "New Wheeler & Wilson Straight-Needle Machine". The "New Eldridge." a fac-simile of the "Domestic". The "New Florence," and "The Singer," all of which they offer at the very lovest prices. If you want a Sewing Machine examine the above first. You are sure to be suited in price and terms.

Operation of cutting open the bowels, taking out the intestines and untying the knot was skillfully and successfully performed, and the patient will live. Nothing but the surgeon's knife can save life in such cases.

Tyler (Lincoln county) Tribune, Dec. 12: Conductor Wiley's train was buried in a snow bank two miles west of Tyler, Wednesday, and remained there until Thursday.

day, and remained there until Thursday. The boys worked all the night and nearly perished with cold. Every one of them deserves a gold badge for their faithfulness. The regular train remained all that hight at Tyler, then returned to Tracy, leaving the dept filled with passengers during the day. At St. Peter, last week, J. Danby was arrested and put in jail on complaint of Anna Louisa Blombeg, a young Swede girl, lately arrived from Sweden, who charged him with an attempt at rape at the Northwestern hotel, where she was employed as chamber-maid. She asserts that he called her into his room, locked the door, and attempted to outrage her but she foiled him and finally escaped. She is said to be a beautiful and attractive girl.

A Rit of Advise If you want real bargains in Christmas goods, go to John Pfaster's, 101 East Seventh Street. Fine Jewelry, of all kinds, Beautiful Bilver and Plated goods, Chains, Bracelets. You will select from the finest stock in the

Crewded ali day long-at Brown's, The Jeweler. 75 East Third Street.

STILLWATER.

Frank Kreitzer, husband of the female convict who suisided Thursday morning, took the remains to his home in Anoka yesterday for interment. Sheriff Chandler, of Goodhue county

was in the city yesterday with Frank Thompson, sentenced to three years in the penitentiry on two charges of forgery. The citizens of Stillwater feel a great deal interest in the bill introduced in the Senate by Senator McMillan for the constru tion of a bridge across the St. Croix between Pierce and Washington counties, and Mr. Durant has written to Senator McMillan for a copy of the same in order to get a clear anding of the matter.

An adjourned meeting of the city council was held Thursday evening, a majority of the members being present. The report of the bridge toll collector, showing receipts of \$182.75 for the two weeks ending December 13, was accepted

The clerk of the municipal court reported the receipts of the court for the four months ending December 1, to have been \$1,302.42. The report was accepted and referred to the

The treasurer's report for October and November was accepted and referred to the committee on finance. committee on finance.

The applications of P. S. Deragish, Charles
Brenner, Andrew Ulen, and Conrad Dreschsler, for retail liquor licenses, were granted.
Samuel Bloomer asked that he be not

compelled to pay a pool table license. No action was taken in the matter. The advisability of connecting the engineouse and the city hall with the main of of the telephone exchange was discussed at some length. The matter was finally re-ferred to President Matthews and Alderman

Total.....\$19,865 70 On motion of Commissioner Meilicke it was resolved, that whereas the said Meilicke is about to retire from the office of county commissioner, that all orders beretofore made in his district be revoked.

The recently elected officers of Washin The recently elected officers of Washington Royal Arch Chapter No. 17, were dnly installed Thursday evening, a large number of Masons and their families being present at the installation. The Harmonia quartet ton Royal Arch Chapter No. 17, were duly installed Thursday evening, a large number of Masons and their families being present at the installation. The Harmonia quartet was present and furnished music for the

Sam. Judd was in town yesterday.
D. M. and George Dulany, of Hanmbal.
Io., were in the city yesterday on lumber . Judd was in town yesterday.

H. A. Wilson, formerly of Hudson but more recently of St. Paul, was in Stillwater yesterday, in the interests of Wisconsin tar payers who reside in Stillwater and vicinity. Bunkerhill was fought, and to whose men ory the monument was erected, was in the city yesterday, looking after the logging in-terests of P. H. Kelly & Co.. St. Paul.

> THE COURTS. United States Circuit Court.

| Before Judge R. R. Nelson. ] John A. Murray et al. vs. Llewellyn Lev Leathers. Case given to the jury with in-structions to return a scaled verdict at 10 structions to return a sealed o'clock a. w. to-day. Probate Court.

|Before Judge O'Gorman. | In the matter of the estate of H. A. Von Glahn, deceased. Copy of last will and testanent filed, with petition for probate of same. In the matter of the estate of Felix Gingrich, deceased. License granted to sell real estate. In the matter of the estate of Girart Hewitt, eccased; petition filed for conveyance of restate. Order made for hearing.

Municipal Court. |Before Judge Flint.| CRIMINAL. The City vs. Charles Calson; drunkennes

ent out of town.

Frank W. Godwin vs. Alfred Anderson and Aaron Anderson; action on note. Case dis-Frank W. Godwin vs. Peter Oberg and Ole Frank W. Godwin vs. Peter Oberg and Ole Seeguen; action on note. Case dismissed. Ingham & Corlies vs. Godfred Beis; action on contract. Judgment for plaintiffs for \$59.15. E. Ingham vs. Mrs. M. M. Morton; action of unlawful detainer. Costs taxed and motion made for a new trial.

Michaud Bros. vs. Beaupre, Allen & Keogh; action on contract. Motion of defendants to dismiss the action taken under advisement until December 24, at 10 a. M.

Kenny & Hudner vs. George E. Hussey and Frank C. West; action for services. Judgment entered against defendant George E. Hussey for \$62.61. Decision filed allowing defendant West judgment for costs.

Basket of Lucious Fruit.

A Basket of Fruit. A Box of Bon Bons. A Backet of Fruit. A Box of Candy. A Basket of Fruit. A Box of Chocolates A Basket of Fruit. A Box of Caramels. ant Basket of Fruit for everyone at SMITE's TROPICAL. Pannell's.

111 East Seventh street, Gloves, Kid Mitta, Back Gloves Go to the B. & S. Co.'s, 87 East Third Street,

Go to the B. & S. Co.'s, 87 East Third Street, if only to see the crowd of purchasers. Everybody is busy, and their beautiful stock of Christmas goods find quick sale.

Bronzes, Silverware.

Large additions, to-day, to the beautiful stock of Christmas goods, in fine Jewelry, Bronzes and Silverware, at P. F. Eagan & Co.'s, (Greenleaf's) 77 East Third Street.

## REPUBLICAN REVOLT.

The Republican Scheme of Appointing Presidential Electors by Republican

Legislatures. The New York Sun gives editorial prominent with extraordinary display, to the following dispatch from Washington, comfirmatory of hints B., C. R. & N. already given in these columns: There is no doubt that the extreme radio

eaders among the Republicans are seriously ontemplating a change in the mode of apcointing Presidential electors, not only in New York, but in several other States where the result at the polls next fall might be doubtful. The States particularly spoken of in addition to New York are Connecticut, New Jersey Ohio, Colorado, Nevada, California and Oregon.
It is understood that the Republicans will control the next legislatures in those eight have Democratic governors, who will hol through the coming year, the stalwarts think they can frame such a law as will prevent any betraction of their plans by the executive any State.

The federal constitution confers full power upon the legislatures in regard to the appointment of Presidential electors. But Congres has passed a law directing that they shall happointed in all the States on the Tuesda next after the first Monday in November, and hat they shall cast their votes on the first Wednesday of December. This is all the Congressional legislation there is or can be on the ubject. If any State legislature should, at its approaching session, take the appointment from the people and confer it upon itself, the law for this purpose would provide for the assembling of the legislature on the day in November fixed by Congress for the appoint-ing of the sleetors.

tinued the prima donna, entertainingly. "All my roles are heavy, and I never spare myself. was present and furnished music for the coccasion.

At the conclusion of the installation coremonies, an excellent and tempting repast spread out in an adjoining apartment received its due share of attention.

Those who felt inclined that way beat among time to the inspiriting strains of the Germania orchestrs, and as the votaries of the Terpsichorean art were in the majority; they indulged themselves to their heart's content. All things considered, the installation proved a pleasant affair, and those present enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

M. E. H. P., E. A. Folsom; E. K., W. H. P. Tett. E. S., Edward Capron; A. of H., A. K. Doe; P. S., Hugh Hall; Treas., J. S. Anderson; Sec., John Densmore; G. M. Srd., M. L. H. P., E. S., Edward Capron; A. of H., A. K. Doe; P. S., Hugh Hall; Treas., J. S. Anderson; Sec., John Densmore; G. M. Srd., M. S

Abbott and her company next week was the largest ever known here.

# MONEY AND TRADE.

FINANCIAL. Meney and Stocks NEW YORK, Dec. 19 .- Governments

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Governments strong and higher. Bar silver, \$1.13\%. Railroad bonds quiet. State securities dull.

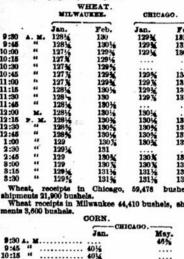
Stocks—The market was irregular in the early dealings, with a silght advance in some shares; but during the afternoon there was a heavy pressure to sell, and prices fell off \( \frac{1}{2} \) of per cent. The greatest depression was in southwestern shares, which declined \$2\% per cent., the latter in St. Louis & San Francisco, while the decline in the remainder of the list was \( \frac{1}{2} \) of per cent., the latter western Union. In the final dealings there was a recovery of \( \frac{1}{2} \) if per cent., St. Louis & San Francisco leading the advance. Missouri, Kansas & Texas, Wabbash, St. Louis & Pacific and Northern Pacific were notably weak. The Post says: "Little or no resistance was offered to the bear raid, and it concerned the leaders of it to trust to an unavoidable bank statement to-morrow to induce holders of stock to sell at the low prices made to-day. It is estimated that fully three-quarters of the stocks sold to-day were for short account. The statement was made that Gould was a leader of the Closing prices—Wheat furmer: \$1.314 \( \frac{1}{2} \) and unchanged. Below back is \$1.265 \text{ cash}; 12.265 \text{ cash};

St. P. & S. C. pfd... 73% Del. Lack: & West'n 75% Morris & Essex....100 Delaware & Hudson. 72% New Jersey Central. 17% Ohio & Mississippl.. 26% do mefarred. 500 Terre Haute pfd.... W. St. L. & Pacific. STATE BONDS. Tennessee 6s, old... 31½
Tennessee 6s, new... 30
Virginia 6s, old.... 25
Virginia 6s, new... 20

Fereign Money Market LONDON, Dec. 19-5 97 3-16 Account. 

MARKETS IN DETAIL. The following quotations giving the range of the MORTON. DORAN & Co., Commission Merchants.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 19, 10:00 A. M.—Whea ulet; 1d lower. Floating cargoes bardening. Car-ces off coast quiet. French markets quiet. NEW YORK Dec. 19, 1:00 P. steady. Wheat strong; fully 1c higher. NEW Your, Dec. 19, 2:30 r. %c up; plenty of buyers.



PORK. Jan. 7.35 St. Paul Retail Markets.

States in the Electoral Colleges, while at the same time increasing that of the States in the West and Northwest, where lie the strongholds of the Republican party.

Emma Abbott on the Freshness of the Volce.

Boston Herald.

"People'would think that singing five times a week, as I do, would affect the freshness of my volce," said Miss Abbott, "butit doesn't," continued the prima donna, entertainingly. "All my roles are heavy, and I never spare myself.

St. Paul Wholesale Markets WHEAT—The street offerings were light, and with favorable advices. From the seaboard and inter-mediate points values ruled lowers it he folloing quo-tations: No. 1, \$1.18; No. 2, \$1.15; No. 3, \$1.05. FLOUR—Patent process \$7.7696.75; straight \$5.50

## MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

MILWAUKER, Dec. 19.-Flour quiet and unch MILWAUERE, Dec. 19.—Flour quiet and unchanged Wheat opened firm at about yesterday's prices, and closed very strong and tending up; No. 1 hard \$1.30\foralle{4}; No. 1, 1.29\foralle{4}; No. 2, 1.22\foralle{4}; December 1.23\foralle{4}; No. 3, 1.14\foralle{4}; No. 4, 1.05\foralle{4}; rejected 98c. White corn weak; No. 2, 40c. Oats scarce and 1\foralle{6} higher; No. 2, 55o bid: 40c bid for choice. Bye scarce and 1c higher; No. 1, 78\foralle{4}. Barley dull and lower; No. 2 cash, 73\foralle{4}c. Provisions quiet and ucchanged; mess pork, \$12.65 cash; 7.40 February. Lard, prime steam, \$7.25 cash; 7.40 February. Beccipts, 9,500 barrels flour; 44,000 bushels wheat. Shipments, 7,000 barrels flour; 3,600 bushels wheat.

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